

**ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE**

A communication assisting apparatus is provided for mediating data transfer between a first data processing apparatus and a second data processing apparatus. The communication assisting apparatus 5 includes a first connection unit, a memory and a second connection unit. The first connection unit is connected by wire with the first data processing apparatus, and receives data from the first data processing apparatus. The memory stores therein the data received by the first connection unit. The second connection unit is connected by wireless 10 with the second data processing apparatus, and transmits the data read out from the memory to the second data processing apparatus. The communication assisting apparatus further includes a processing section which reads out the data stored in the memory according to a state of communication with the second data processing apparatus.